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Invention: VEHICLE DOOR WITH INNER AND OUTER PANELS WITH A BASE PLATE

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

In reply to the final Office Action dated January 25, 2006, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes:

- Amendments to the Specification;
- Amended Claim Set; and
- Remarks.